

## 'Lawndale Wild Man' Tops Figure 8 Program Sunday

Leon Garrett, the "Lawndale Wild Man" rates as the top favorite in Sunday night's fender-busting Figure 8 stock car race at Ascot Park, 183rd and Vermont in Gardena, but two other ace drivers are in solid contention.

Gates open at 6 p.m., with the first race set for 7 p.m. Contesting the red-headed, lanky Garrett, rated the toughest of a full crew of criss-cross daredevils, will be Redondo Beach's popular Ed-

die Sauer, who won the first afternoon ARA race of the season.

Eddie, however, has had his troubles under the lights at Ascot, and has not been able to take the checkered flag since his afternoon win.

Another veteran in contention is Lomita's cigar-smoking Ed Ferro, a surprise winner two weeks ago in probably the most exciting race seen on the Ascot intersection since its inception four years ago.

However, a host of up-and-coming youngsters, such as Troy Stil of Lomita, who has won a main already this season; Nick Thomas of Torrance, Willie Kimborough of Gardena, Otto Hayes of Wilmington, Phil Anderson of Redondo Beach, will be on hand for the eight-race.

Also slated is a "Speed Queens" 10-lap ladies race, with such distaff stars as Charlene Ferro of Lomita, Tink Lake of Gardena, and Barbara Sauer of Redondo Beach fighting it out.

## Team Racing Begins Friday At Ascot Park

Team motorcycle racing, highly popular in Great Britain and Australia, swings into the speed spotlight Friday night at Ascot Park when Elliott Schultz and Guy Louis, the Royal Enfield mounted pair, seek to shut out the BSA brigade, led by champion Sammy Tanner.

Schultz, 26, of South Gate and Louis, 22, of Lynwood, both ride Enfields for Shell Thuet of Shell Motors of Lynwood.

Friday night's races at the 183rd and Vermont speed center in Gardena start at 8:30 o'clock, one-lap qualifying at 7. A record field of close to 150 riders is ready.

## Three Golf Events Set For Amateurs

The Southern California Municipal Athletic Federation will conduct three golf tournaments for men during 1965. These tournaments are open to amateur golfers.

Each tournament will have two or more flights and will be determined when the registration is completed. The first tournament is scheduled for Los Verdes County Golf Course on Saturday, May 8.

An entry fee of \$5 will cover trophy and green fees. The tournament will be the usual handicap and open flight variety.

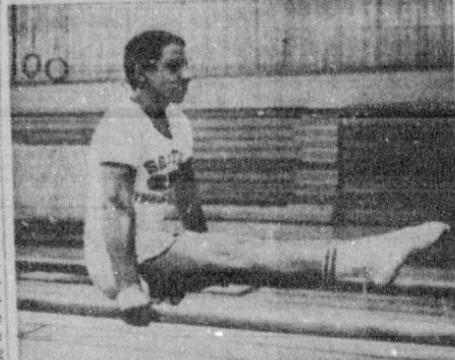
Handicap cards must be presented the day of the tournament. The open division will be played in accordance with the new and intriguing Panasa formula for determining handicaps.

Trophies will be awarded to tournament low gross winners, low net and second low net in each flight.

For information pertaining to registration, contact the Torrance Recreation and Parks Department or call Frank James, City of Commerce, 722-4905.

## Riverside Races Slated Saturday

The National Points races at Riverside International Raceway will be run Saturday and Sunday if the track conditions permit, according to C. W. "Chic" Vandagriff. The races were postponed from last week because of continuing rains which made the raceway impassable.



**FINE FORM . . .** Alan Riley demonstrates his ability on the parallel bars during a workout at South High. Riley is one of the outstanding members of South's new gymnastics team. The team, coached by David Corman, has a 3-3 record and will compete in two more meets before the season ends.

## South Adds Gymnastics To Athletic Programs

Gymnastics has been added to the inter-scholastic sports program at South High. Coach David Corman is fielding a first-year team for the Spartans which already has generated a great deal of interest among the student body.

Objectives of the program, Corman says, are to teach self-confidence, timing, balance, coordination, and develop upper body muscle tone.

## Redondo High Gym Open

Redondo Union High School's gymnasium will be open from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. for basketball instruction during the remainder of the week, according to Bob Dean of the Redondo Beach Recreation and Parks Department.

Dean also said special track instruction will be given to youngsters from 1 to 5 p.m., weather permitting.

The school competes in eight events, fielding a five-man team for each event. Rope climbing, tumbling, long horse, free exercise, horizontal bar, side horse, parallel bar, and ring events are included in the Spartan program.

South and North High are the only two Torrance schools which field a gymnastics team, Corman said.

Completing eight of the ten scheduled matches, South is now 3 and 5 for the season. The best Spartan effort came against North when the Saxons fell to the new gymnasts from South 61-55 1/2.

Corman was a member of the Long Beach State College championship team of 1959.

The coach is confident he can field a winning team in the future if student body interest remains as high as it has been this season.

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## Ice Show To Salute Big Cities

"The Home of Champions," a name most recently given to the Arctic Blades Figure Skating Club of Paramount, will present its annual Revue of 1965, Sunday, Monday and Tuesday evenings, April 25, 26 and 27.

The theme of this year's production will be "A Salute to Great Cities of the World," with a cast of 150 skaters in 10 numbers, covering such world-famous cities as New York, Paris, Berlin, Rome, Vienna, and Los Angeles.

Heading the list of skaters will be National, Pacific Coast, and Southwest Pacific champions who, for the first time in skating history, earned for Arctic Blades the "Triple Crown" of high point trophies in each of these competitions this year including the coveted National Harney Trophy.

In star spots will be skaters such as Miss Peggy Gale Fleming, two-time National Senior Ladies Champion (1964 and 1965) and a member of the United States Olympic Team in 1964; Novice Ladies National Champion, Miss Julie Holmes; Novice Mens National Champion, Roger Bass; National Junior Pairs Champions, Miss Page Paulsen and Larry Dusich; Bronze Medal winner in the National Junior Ladies Division, Miss Sandra Holmes; Bronze Medalist in the National Junior Mens Division, Ronnie Frank; and second place winners in the Pacific Coast Silver Dance competition, David Turner and Miss Joan Sherblom. The show is sanctioned by the United States Figure Skating Association.



PEGGY GALE FLEMING  
Headlines Show

## Club to Present Film on Russia

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